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Dear Sirs



Information pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) - FILE NUMBER 82-34701

I enclose for filing certain public information for the period 15<sup>th</sup> August 2003 - 16<sup>th</sup> September 2003 relating to Boots Group PLC Company Number 4452715.

## Regulatory press announcements made by Boots Group PLC since August 15, 2003 to September 16, 2003

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- 3. Announcement dated August 19, 2003 regarding purchase of own securities.
- 4. Announcement dated August 21, 2003 regarding purchase of own securities.
- 5. Announcement dated August 28, 2003 regarding notification of directors' interests.
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- 10. Announcement dated September 2, 2003 regarding purchase of own securities.
- Announcement dated September 3, 2003 regarding notification of directors' interests and 11. connected persons.
- 12. Announcement dated September 3, 2003 regarding purchase of own securities.
- 13. Announcement dated September 4, 2003 regarding purchase of own securities.
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- Announcement dated September 5, 2003 regarding purchase of own securities. 15.

- 16. Announcement dated September 8, 2003 regarding notification of directors' interests and connected persons.
- 17. Announcement dated September 9 2003 regarding notification of directors' interests.
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- 20. Announcement dated September 12, 2003 regarding notification of directors' interests.
- 21. Announcement dated September 12, 2003 regarding purchase of own securities.
- 22. Announcement dated September 15, 2003 regarding director shareholding.
- 23. Announcement dated September 15, 2003 director declaration.
- 24. Announcement dated September 15, 2003 regarding directorate change.
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Yours faithfully

Ruth Quesnell

Company Secretarial Assistant

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Company

Boots Group PLC

TIDM

BOOT

Headline

Purchase of Own Securities 17:23 15 Aug 2003

Released

Number

75590

15<sup>th</sup> August 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASI ROGRAMME

On 15<sup>th</sup> August 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 250,000 ordinary shares in was-656-83p-per-share<del>. This brings the t</del>otal number of shares purchased durin

company for cancellation. The price paid his programme to 57,225,927.

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Boots Group PLC

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Headline

Purchase of Own Securities 17:40 18 Aug 2003

Released Number

80380

18<sup>th</sup> August 2003

## BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 18<sup>th</sup> August 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 350,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 660-94p-per-share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 57,575,927.

**END** 













Company

Boots Group PLC

TIDM

BOOT

Headline

Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:23 19 Aug 2003

Number

84890

19<sup>th</sup> August 2003

# BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 19<sup>th</sup> August 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 250,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 659.51p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 57,825,927.

END



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Company TIDM Boots Group PLC

Headline

BOOT Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:18 21 Aug 2003

Number

94620

## 21st August 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 21<sup>st</sup> August 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 30,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was -664-00p per share-This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 57,855,927.

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Director Shareholding

Released Number 10:02 28 Aug 2003 1135P

BOOTS GROUP PLC

28<sup>th</sup> August 2003

#### NOTIFICATION OF DIRECTORS INTERESTS

As at 28<sup>th</sup> August 2003, the number of ordinary shares of 25p each in the Company held by Boots Share Plan Trustee Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Boots Group PLC ("the Company"), has reduced by 17,316 shares as a result of exercises by participants of rights under the All-Employee Share Scheme 2002. This represents approximately 0.0022% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company.

The Trust is a discretionary trust for the benefit of employees and executive directors of the Company. Each executive director of the Company, as a potential beneficiary of the Trust, is deemed to have an interest in the free shares held by the Trust for the Free Shares Scheme. The directors in question are: Mr P Bateman, Mr H Dodd and Mr A Smith.

As result of the movements referred to above the number of shares held by the Trust has fallen to 3,994,604 representing approximately 0.503% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company. The number of shares the directors are deemed to be interested in is 3,654,063.





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Company TIDM Boots Group PLC

Headline

BOOT Purchase of Own Securities

Released

16:58 28 Aug 2003

Number

1489P

28<sup>th</sup> August 2003

## BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 28<sup>th</sup> August 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 500,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 665-9240p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 58,355,927.

**END** 





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Company

Boots Group PLC

TIDM

BOOT

Headline Released Director Shareholding 10:57 1 Sep 2003

Number

2216P

BOOTS GROUP PLC

1<sup>st</sup> September 2003

#### NOTIFICATION OF DIRECTORS INTERESTS

As at 1<sup>st</sup> September 2003, the number of ordinary shares of 25p each in the Company held by Boots Share Plan Trustee Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Boots Group PLC ("the Company"), has increased by 27,422 as a result of purchases and transfers by participants of rights under the All-Employee Share Scheme 2002. This includes a purchase settled on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2003 under the Share Investment Plan of the All-Employee Share Scheme, of 27,856 shares at a price of 662p per share. This represents approximately 0.0035% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company.

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As result of the movements referred to above the number of shares held by the Trust has risen to 4,022,026 representing approximately 0.51% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company. The number of shares the directors are deemed to be interested in is 3.653.702.











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Headline Released Director Shareholding 14:11 1 Sep 2003

Number

2371P

#### SCHEDULE 11

#### NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS

1) Name of company

Boots Group PLC

2) Name of directors

Paul BATEMAN

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

Director named in 2

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

Held in trust by Boots Share Plan Trustees Limited

5) Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the Director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)

Director

6) Please state the nature of the transaction. For PEP transactions please indicate whether general/single co PEP and if discretionary/non discretionary

Purchase of shares under Share Investment Plan

7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

19

8) Percentage of issued class

Minimal

9) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

Nil

- 10) Percentage of issued class
- 11) Class of security

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13) Date of transaction		
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14) Date company informed		1
1 <sup>st</sup> September 2003		
15) Total holding following this notification 117,168	•	i i
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Date of Notification1st September 2003,		· 1

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Director named in 2

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

Held in trust by Boots Share Plan Trustees Limited

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Director

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Purchase of shares under Share Investment Plan

7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

19

8) Percentage of issued class

Minimal

9) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

Nil

- 10) Percentage of issued class
- 11) Class of security

Ordinary Shares of 25p each

12) Price per share

662p

13) Date of transaction

28<sup>th</sup> August 2003

14) Date company informed

1<sup>st</sup> September 2003

15) Total holding following this notification

115,642

16) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

0.0145%

If a director has been granted options by the company please complete the following boxes

17) Date of grant

Boots Group PLC

2) Name of directors

Andrew Patrick SMITH

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Director named in 2

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

Held in trust by The Boots Share Plan Trustees Limited

5) Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the Director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s) 7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

19

8) Percentage of issued class

Minimal

9) Number of shares/amount

of stock disposed

Nil

10) Percentage of issued class

11) Class of security

Ordinary Shares of 25p each

12) Price per share

662p

13) Date of transaction

28<sup>th</sup> August 2003

14) Date company informed

1<sup>st</sup> September 2003

15) Total holding following this notification

135,645

16) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

0.017%

If a director has been granted options by the company please complete the following boxes

17) Date of grant

18) Period during which or date on which exercisable

19) Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option

20) Description of shares or debentures involved: class, number

21) Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price. is to be fixed at time of exercise

22) Total number of shares or debentures over which options held following this notification

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25) Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification	:
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Company

Boots Group PLC

TIDM

BOOT

Headline

Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:11 1 Sep 2003

Number

2591P

## 1<sup>st</sup> September 2003

## BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 1st September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 250,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 663,4400p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 58,605,927.

END















Company

Boots Group PLC

TIDM

BOOT

Headline

Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:21 2 Sep 2003

Number

3120P

## 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 350,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was:665.4700p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 58,955,927.

**END** 









Company TIDM Boots Group PLC BOOT

Headline Released Director Shareholding 11:14 3 Sep 2003

Number

#### SCHEDULE 11

#### NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS

1) Name of company

Boots Group PLC

2) Name of directors

John Brian McGRATH

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

Director named in 2

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

John Brian McGRATH

5) Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the Director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)

Director

6) Please state the nature of the transaction. For PEP transactions please indicate whether general/single co PEP and if discretionary/non discretionary

Dividend Reinvestment Plan

7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

8) Percentage of issued class

Minimal

9) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

Nil

10) Percentage of issued class

11) Class of security

Ordinary Shares of 25p each

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13) Date of transaction		!
29 <sup>th</sup> August 2003		
14) Date company informed		1
2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2003		
15) Total holding following this notification		
3,068		1
16) Total percentage holding of issued class following t	his notification	
Minimal		
If a director has been granted options by the company pl	ease complete the following	boxes
17) Date of grant		ř
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#### Paul BATEMAN

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Director named in 2

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

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Director

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#### Dividend Reinvestment Plan

7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

5

8) Percentage of issued class

#### Minimal

9) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

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- 10) Percentage of issued class
- 11) Class of security

Ordinary Shares of 25p each

- 12) Price per share
- £6.6735
- 13) Date of transaction
- 29<sup>th</sup> August 2003
- 14) Date company informed
- 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2003
- 15) Total holding following this notification
- 117,173
- 16) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification
- 0.0147%
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- 21) Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at time of exercise
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Sonia Fennell, Assistant Company Secretary

Date of Notification....3<sup>rd</sup> September 2003......

#### SCHEDULE 11

#### NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS

1) Name of company

Boots Group PLC

2) Name of directors

Andrew Patrick SMITH

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

Director named in 2 and spouse

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

Andrew Patrick SMITH Sally Julia SMITH

5) Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the Director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)

Director and spouse

7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

Director = 2 Spouse = 106

8) Percentage of issued class

Minimal ·

9) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

Nil

- 10) Percentage of issued class
- 11) Class of security

Ordinary Shares of 25p each

12) Price per share

£6.6735

- 13) Date of transaction
- 29<sup>th</sup> August 2003
- 14) Date company informed
- 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2003
- 15) Total holding following this notification
- 135,753
- 16) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

0.017%

If a director has been granted options by the company please complete the following boxes

- 17) Date of grant
- 18) Period during which or date on which exercisable
- 19) Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option
- 20) Description of shares or debentures involved: class, number
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Sonia Fennell, Assistant Company Secretary

Date of Notification....3<sup>rd</sup> September 2003.....







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Company

Boots Group PLC BOOT

TIDM Headline

Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:01 3 Sep 2003

Number

3638P

3<sup>rd</sup> September 2003

## BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 70,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was:665-2-100p per share: This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 59,025,927.

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Company

Boots Group PLC

TIDM

BOOT

Headline

Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:18 4 Sep 2003

Number

4260P

4<sup>th</sup> September 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 4<sup>th</sup> September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 48,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was-673-0000p-per-share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 59,073,927.

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Company

Boots Group PLC

TIDM

BOOT

Headline Released Director Shareholding 15:35 5 Sep 2003

Number

4631P

On 4<sup>th</sup> September 2003, Boots (Quest) Trustee Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Boots Group PLC ("the Company"), acting on behalf of The Boots Qualifying Employee Share Trust ("the Trust") transferred 56,209 ordinary shares of 25p each in the Company to employees who had exercised SAYE share options, at an average price of £5.81. This represents approximately 0.007% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company.

The Trust is a discretionary trust for the benefit of employees and executive directors of the Company and is operated in connection with the Company's UK all-employee SAYE Share Option Scheme. Each executive director of the Company, as a potential beneficiary of the Trust-is-deemed-to-have an-interest in the shares acquired by the Frust. The directors in question are: Mr. P. Bateman, Mr. H. Dodd, and Mr. A.P. Smith.

As a result of the transfer referred to above the number of shares held by the Trust in which they are deemed to be interested has reduced by 56,209.













Company TIDM Boots Group PLC

Headline

BOOT Purchase of Own Securities

Released

16:54 5 Sep 2003

Number

4748P

5<sup>th</sup> September 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 5<sup>th</sup> September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 300,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 674:2075p per share. This-brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 59,373,927.

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Company

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Headline Released Director Shareholding 14:24 8 Sep 2003

Number

5094P

SCHEDULE 11

NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS

1. Name of company

Boots Group PLC

2) Name of director

Sir Nigel RUDD

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

Director named in 2) and spouse

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

Sir Nigel RUDD and Pershing Keen Nominees Limited (re PEP's and ISA's)

5) Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the Director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)

Director and Spouse

6) Please state the nature of the transaction. For PEP transactions please indicate whether general/single co PEP and if discretionary/non discretionary

Purchase plus PEP and ISA transactions

7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

30,300 @ £6.75½

4,200 PEP - Sir Nigel RUDD @ £6.77½ 9,100 PEP - Lady Lesley RUDD @ £6.77½ 700 ISA - Sir Nigel RUDD @ £6.77½ 700 ISA - Lady Lesley RUDD @ £6.77½

8) Percentage of issued class

0.0056%

9) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

10) Percentage of issued class

- 12) Price per share
- See 7) above
- 13) Date of transaction
- 8<sup>th</sup> September 2003
- 14) Date company informed
- 8<sup>th</sup> September 2003
- 15) Total holding following this notification
- 47,000
- 16) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification

If a director has been granted options by the company please complete the following boxes

- 17) Date of grant
- 18) Period during which or date on which exercisable
- 19) Total amount paid (if any) for grant of the option
- 20) Description of shares or debentures involved: class, number
- 21) Exercise price (if fixed at time of grant) or indication that price is to be fixed at time of exercise
- 22) Total number of shares or debentures over which options held following this notification
- 23) Any additional information
- 24) Name of contact and telephone number for queries
- Sonia Fennell 0115 968 7094
- 25) Name and signature of authorised company official responsible for making this notification

Michael Oliver, Company Secretary

Date of Notification...8<sup>th</sup> September 2003.....







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Headline Released Director Shareholding 15:07 8 Sep 2003

Number

5130P

SCHEDULE 11

#### NOTIFICATION OF INTERESTS OF DIRECTORS AND CONNECTED PERSONS

1. Name of company

Boots Group PLC

2) Name of director

Richard Baker

3) Please state whether notification indicates that it is in respect of holding of the shareholder named in 2 above or in respect of a non-beneficial interest or in the case of an individual holder if it is a holding of that person's spouse or children under the age of 18 or in respect of a non-beneficial interest

Director named in 2)

4) Name of the registered holder(s) and, if more than one holder, the number of shares held by each of them (if notified)

Richard Baker

5) Please state whether notification relates to a person(s) connected with the Director named in 2 above and identify the connected person(s)

Director

6) Please state the nature of the transaction. For PEP transactions please indicate whether general/single co PEP and if discretionary/non discretionary

Purchase

7) Number of shares/amount of stock acquired

9,260

8) Percentage of issued class

0.0012%

9) Number of shares/amount of stock disposed

10) Percentage of issued class

12) Price per share

£6.74

- 13) Date of transaction
- 8<sup>th</sup> September 2003
- 14) Date company informed
- 8<sup>th</sup> September 2003
- 15) Total holding following this notification
- 9,260
- 16) Total percentage holding of issued class following this notification 0.0012%
- If a director has been granted options by the company please complete the following boxes
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- 23) Any additional information

Richard Baker will be joining the board on 15th September 2003

24) Name of contact and telephone number for queries

Sonia Fennell 0115 968 7094

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Michael Oliver, Company Secretary

Date of Notification...8<sup>th</sup> September 2003.....

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Company TIDM

Boots Group PLC BOOT

Headline Released

Director Shareholding 10:25 9 Sep 2003

Number

5455P

BOOTS GROUP PLC

9<sup>th</sup> September 2003

#### NOTIFICATION OF DIRECTORS INTERESTS

As at 9th September 2003, the number of ordinary shares of 25p each in the Company held by Boots Share Plan Trustee Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Boots Group PLC ("the Company"), has reduced by 1,009 shares as a result of exercises by participants of rights under the All-Employee Share Scheme 2002. This represents approximately 0.0001% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company.

The Trust is a discretionary trust for the benefit of employees and executive directors of the Company. Each executive director of the Company, as a potential beneficiary of the Trust, is deemed to have an interest in the free shares held by the Trust for the Free Shares Scheme. The directors in question are: Mr P Bateman, Mr H Dodd and Mr A Smith.

As result of the movements referred to above the number of shares held by the Trust has fallen to 4,021,017 representing approximately 0.51% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company. The number of shares the directors are deemed to be interested in is 3,653,396.



















Company TIDM Boots Group PLC

BOOT Purchase of Own Securities

Headline Released

17:00 9 Sep 2003

Number

5796P

 $9^{
m th}$  September 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 9th September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 250,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was:679:2580p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 59:623:927.

**END** 









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Boots Group PLC

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Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:27 10 Sep 2003

Number

6332P

10<sup>th</sup> September 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 10<sup>th</sup> September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 85,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 674,3824p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 59,708,927.

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Company TIDM. Boots Group PLC

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Headline Released

Director Shareholding 12:01 12 Sep 2003

Number

7114P

BOOTS GROUP PLC

12<sup>th</sup> September 2003

### NOTIFICATION OF DIRECTORS INTERESTS

As at 12th September 2003, the number of ordinary shares of 25p each in the Company held by Boots Share Plan Trustee Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Boots Group PLC ("the Company"), has reduced by 14,971 shares as a result of exercises by participants of rights under the All-Employee Share Scheme 2002. This represents approximately 0.002% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company.

The Trust is a discretionary trust for the benefit of employees and executive directors of the Company. Each executive director of the Company, as a potential beneficiary of the Trust, is deemed to have an interest in the free shares held by the Trust for the Free Shares Scheme. The directors in question are: Mr P Bateman, Mr H Dodd and Mr A Smith

As result of the movements referred to above the number of shares held by the Trust has fallen to 4,006,046 representing approximately 0.51% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company. The number of shares the directors are deemed to be interested in is 3,641,192.







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Boots Group PLC

TIDM Headline BOOT Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:28 12 Sep 2003

Number

7400P

12<sup>th</sup> September 2003

#### BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 12<sup>th</sup> September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 30,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 678,3000p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 59,738,927.



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Headline Released Director Shareholding 09:29 15 Sep 2003

Number

7483P

On 12<sup>th</sup> September 2003, Boots (Quest) Trustee Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Boots Group PLC ("the Company"), acting on behalf of The Boots Qualifying Employee Share Trust ("the Trust") transferred 309,959 ordinary shares of 25p each in the Company to employees who had exercised SAYE share options, at an average price of £4.86. This represents approximately 0.039% of the current issued ordinary share capital of the Company.

The Trust is a discretionary trust for the benefit of employees and executive directors of the Company and is operated in connection with the Company's UK all-employee SAYE Share Option Scheme. Each executive director of the Company, as a potential beneficiary of the Trust is deemed to have an interest in the shares acquired by the Trust. The directors in question are: Mr. P. Bateman, Mr. H. Dodd, and Mr. A. P. Smith.

As a result of the transfer referred to above the number of shares held by the Trust in which they are deemed to be interested has reduced by 309,959.





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BOOT Director Declaration

Headline Released

09:34 15 Sep 2003

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Boots Group PLC

"This notice follows the announcement on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2003 of the appointment of Richard Baker as Chief Executive of Boots Group PLC who joined the board today, 15<sup>th</sup> September 2003.

This notice contains certain information required to be disclosed in accordance with paragraph 16.4 of the Listing Rules.

In accordance with paragraph 16.4 (a) Richard Baker has been within the last 5 years a director of Asda Group Limited, Asda Stores Limited, Dixon Motors Plc, IDG Services Limited, Newgo 1 Limited and the Institute of Grocery Distribution and is no longer a director of any of those companies.

There is no information of the kind described in paragraphs 6.f.2. (b) to (g) of the Listing Rules relating to Richard Baker required to be disclosed pursuant to paragraph 16.4 thereof."

Richard Baker has also notifed the company that he is interested in 9,260 ordinary shares as at 15<sup>th</sup> September 2003.

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Headline Released Directorate Change 12:06 15 Sep 2003

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RNS Number:7574P Boots Group FLC 19 September 2003

#### Board Appointments

Richard Baker (41) today joins the Board of Boots Group PLC as Chief Executive, and Sir Nigel Rudd (56) becomes Chairman.

John McGrath (65) stands down as Chairman and acting Chief Executive, and retires from the Board.

The Board of Boots Group PLC also today announces the appointment of Guy Dawson (50) as a non executive Director, and as Chairman of the Board Audit Committee...

Guy Dawson was until 2002 Chairman of European Investment Banking at Merrill Lynch. Prior to that he held a number of senior positions in Merrill Lynch and Morgan Grenfell. During that time he built very successful investment banking businesses and acted on a wide range of high value acquisitions, disposals and financing. In 2003 he, with others, founded Tricorn, a partnership offering an independent corporate advisory service.

John McGrath leaves the Board after 6 years, the last 3 years as Chairman and the past 3 months as both Chairman and acting Chief Executive. He retired as Chief Executive of Diageo in 2000.

Sir Nigel Rudd, Chairman of Boots Group PLC said:

'We are delighted to welcome Guy. He has had a successful city career spanning two decades and with his undoubted competence comes a creative, lively mind and an independent contributor to the team. I'd also like to thank John for his major contribution to the business over the last three years, and in particular for his efforts as acting Chief Executive and, of course, we are delighted that Richard joins the company today."

- ENDS -

Notes to picture editors and contact details to follow -

Notes to Picture Editors:

Photographs of Sir Nigel Rudd and Richard Baker are available at http://www.newscast.co.uk.

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Boots Group PLC

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Purchase of Own Securities

Released

17:08 15 Sep 2003

Number

7848P

15<sup>th</sup> September 2003

BOOTS GROUP PLC SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAMME

On 15<sup>th</sup> September 2003, Boots Group PLC acquired 290,000 ordinary shares in the company for cancellation. The price paid was 687,4428p per share. This brings the total number of shares purchased during this programme to 60,028,927.

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the person Companies House should

contact if there is any query.

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Number of shares purchased	500,000	500,000	750,000
Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	04/07/2/03	05/07/03	06/07/03
Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.6570	£6.6244	£6.5850
Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.6570	£6.6244	£6.5850

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> The aggerate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was:

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£ 58,000

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Shares were purchased by the company under section 162 of the above A follows:

-	Class of shares	Ordinary	Ordinary.	Ordinary Titl
	Number of shares purchased	35,000	700,000	450,000
	Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
	Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	07/07/2/03	08/07/03	12/07/03
	Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.5550	£6.5336	£6.5062
	Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.5550	£6.5336	£6.6476

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> The aggerate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was:

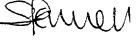
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£ 38,930

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Class of shares	Ordinary	Ordinary	Ordinary
Number of shares purchased	500,000	750,000	235,000
Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	18/07/2/03	21/07/03	23/07/03
Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.5633	£6.4558	£6.4302
Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.5633	£6.4558 °	£6.4302

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> The aggerate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was: 9,651,440.89 Stamp Duty is payable on the aggregate amount at the rate £ 48,260 of ½ % rounded up to the nearest multiple of £5

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Number of shares purchased	500,000	250,000	500,000
Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	24/07/2/03	25/07/03	28/07/03
Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.4972	£6.5392	£6.6034
Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.4972	£6.5392	£6.6034

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> The aggerate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was:

£ 8,199,437.94

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£ 41,000

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Number of shares purchased	500,000	250,000	500,000
Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	30/07/2/03	31/07/03	1/07/03
Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.661′2	£6.7044	£6.6755
Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.6612	£6.7044	£6.6755

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COMPANIES FORM No. 169

Return by a company purchasing its own shares

Pursuant to section 169 of the Companies Act 1985

Company number

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\* insert full name of company

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**BOOTS GROUP PLC** 

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Shares were purchased by the company under section 162 of the above Act follows:

Class of shares	Ordinary	Ordinary	Ordinary
Number of shares purchased	750,000	250,000	350,000
Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	19/08/03	20/08/03	21/08/03
Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.5869	£6.5683	£6.6094
Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.5869	£6.5683	£6.6094

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> The aggerate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was: £ 8,911,134.73

Stamp Duty is payable on the aggregate amount at the rate of ½ % rounded up to the nearest multiple of £5

£ 44,560

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Class of shares	Ordinary	Ordinary	Ordinary
Number of shares purchased	250,000	30,000	5005100
Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	22/08/03	27/08/03	02/09/03
Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.5951	£6.6400	£6.6592
Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.5951	£6.6400	£6.6592

The aggerate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was:

£ 5,186,658.80

Stamp Duty is payable on the aggregate amount at the rate of ½ % rounded up to the nearest multiple of £5

£ 25,935

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Class of shares	Ordinary	Ordinary	Ordinav
Number of shares purchased	700,000	750,000	500,000
Nominal value of each share	0.25	0.25	0.25
Date(s) on which the shares were delivered to the company	14/08/03	15/08/03	18/08/03
Maximum prices paid § for each share	£6.6213	£6.5709	£6.5941
Minimum prices paid § for each share	£6.6213	£6.5709	£6.5941

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The aggerate amount paid by the company for the shares to which this return relates was:

£ 12,875,657.5

Stamp Duty is payable on the aggregate amount at the rate of ½ % rounded up to the nearest multiple of £5  $\,$ 

£ 64,380

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Terminating appointment as director or secretary (NOT for appointment (use Form 288a) or change of particulars (use Form 288c))

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